



Arizona Substance Abuse Partnership

May 6, 2010

1:00 p.m.

Arizona State Lab Training Conference Room

250 North 17th Avenue

Phoenix, AZ 85007

A general meeting of the Arizona Substance Abuse Partnership (ASAP) was convened on May 6, 2010 at the Arizona State Laboratory Training Conference Room, 250 North 17th Avenue, Phoenix, AZ 85007, notice having been duly given.

Members Present (22)

Beth Kohler Lazare, Office of Governor Janice Brewer

Cassandra Larsen, Governor's Office for Children, Youth and Families

Tammy Paz-Combs, Governor's Office/Division for Substance Abuse Policy

Jean Ajamie, Arizona Department of Education

[Tom Betlach on behalf of] Kate Aurelius, Arizona Health Care Cost Containment System

CPT Malina Botkin-Dubbs, Arizona National Guard

[Kathy Waters on behalf of] Dave Byers, Administrative Office of the Courts

Alberto Gutier, Arizona Governor's Office of Highway Safety

Robert Halliday, Arizona Department of Public Safety

Jane Irvine, Arizona Attorney General's Office

[Roberta Patten on behalf of] Kathy Kitcheyan, San Carlos Apache Tribe

David Klein, Veteran's Administration Medical Center

Janice Mickens, Arizona Department of Economic Security

Duce Minor, Parker Area Alliance for Community Empowerment, Inc. PAACE

Dr. Laura Nelson, Arizona Department of Health Services

Ralph Ogden, Yuma County Sheriff—via teleconference call

[Lee Hill on behalf of] Jerry Oliver, Arizona Department of Liquor License and Control

Richard Rosky, High Intensity Drug Trafficking Area Program Southwest Methamphetamine Initiative

Charles Ryan, Arizona Department of Corrections

Mary Specio-Boyer, COPE Behavioral Services, Inc.

[Lee Underwood on behalf of] Dr. Kellie Warren, Arizona Department of Juvenile Corrections

Karen Ziegler, Arizona Criminal Justice Commission

Staff/Guests Present (19)	Members Absent (2)
Jeanne Blackburn, GOCYF-DSAP	Anthony Coulson, Drug Enforcement Administration
Cindy Daugherty, GOCYF-DSAP	Scott Cocuzza, Business Leader
Sonya Pierce-Johnson, GOCYF-DSAP	
Tonya Hamilton, GOCYF-DSAP	
Karen Hellman, Arizona Department of Corrections	
Phillip Stevenson, Arizona Criminal Justice Commission	
Wendy Wolfersteig, SIRC-ASU	
Christine Totura, Pima Prevention Partnership	
David Gallagher, AATP	
SFC Richard Mabry, Arizona National Guard	
Michelle Neitch, ACJC	
Erin Raden, Arizona Meth Project	
Martha Huffstetter, COPE Community Services	
Cindy Schaidler, Casa Grande Alliance, Inc.	
Emily Jenkins, Council of Human Service Providers	
Merilee Fowler, MATForce	
Mike Meelhuysen, Phoenix Police Department	
Stephanie Siete, Community Bridges	
Linda J. Weinberg, Cenpatico	

Call to Order

- **Ms. Beth Kohler Lazare, Chair** called the Arizona Substance Abuse Partnership (ASAP) meeting to order at 1:09 p.m.

Welcome and Introductions

- **Ms. Beth Kohler Lazare, Chair** welcomed members and asked that everyone introduce themselves.

Approval of Minutes and Membership Changes

- **Ms. Beth Kohler Lazare, Chair** referred members to the minutes in their materials from the previous meeting.
 - **Mr. Richard Rosky** motioned to accept the meeting minutes.
 - **Ms. Tammy Paz-Combs** seconded the motion.
 - The motion passed with twenty-two (22) ayes, zero (0) nays and zero (0) members abstaining from the vote.
- **Ms. Beth Kohler Lazare, Chair** referred members to the membership changes in their materials.
 - **Mr. Duce Minor** motioned to accept the membership changes as presented.
 - **Ms. Tammy Paz-Combs** seconded the motion.
 - The motion passed with twenty-two (22) ayes, zero (0) nays and zero (0) members abstaining from the vote.

2010 Strategic Plan Update

- **Ms. Tammy Paz-Combs** thanked all the agencies for meeting with her and Jeanne Blackburn and reported that changes to the strategic plan are being incorporated and will be presented at a future meeting.

Agency Underage Drinking Efforts

Party Crews

- **Alberto Gutier** introduced two presenters from the Phoenix Police Department who provided the members with information on Party Crews and the efforts underway to address the underage drinking, gang activity, and violent crimes that result from these parties. The presenters noted that partnerships between law enforcement and the community are necessary to successfully address these concerns.

DUI Video

- **Karen Hellman** presented a video of Arizona Department of Corrections' interviews of inmates incarcerated for driving under the influence. The video details the inmates' substance abuse and incarceration histories. Ms. Hellman noted that potential uses of this video include the state's *Draw the Line* campaign and/or as a training tool for diversion programs, schools, and workforce training (e.g., lunch-and-learn sessions).

UAD Lunch and Learn Sessions

- **Cindy Schaidler** shared a PowerPoint presentation on UAD that can be used as a workforce training to raise awareness and provide viewers with basic tools and resources related to preventing and addressing underage drinking.
- **Dr. Laura Nelson** reported that the Underage Drinking Prevention Committee would like to use portions of the DUI video presented by Karen Hellman [Arizona Department of Corrections] in its lunch-and-learn sessions as well as convert the lunch-and-learn trainings to a web-based format.

Coalition Presentations

- **Ms. Merilee Fowler** presented on the work of the Yavapai MATForce.
- **Ms. Cindy Schaidler** presented on the work of the Casa Grande Alliance.

Sub-Committee / Focus Area Reports

- **Ms. Beth Kohler Lazare, Chair** referred members of ASAP and the public to the subcommittee reporting form for each subcommittee in their meeting materials.

New Business/Upcoming Events

- **Ms. Beth Kohler Lazare, Chair** asked members to announce any new business or upcoming events.
 - **Alberto Gutier**, Director of the Governor's Office of Highway Safety voiced concern regarding a proposition regarding medical marijuana.
 - **Richard Rosky** indicated that Doug Hebert can present on the medical marijuana initiative at the July ASAP meeting.

Call to the Public

- **Ms. Beth Kohler Lazare, Chair** made a call to the public.
 - No public members provided comments.

Adjourn

- **Ms. Beth Kohler Lazare, Chair** noted that the next meeting is scheduled for July 1 at 1:00 p.m. in the 3rd Floor Conference Room of the Executive Tower.
- **Ms. Beth Kohler Lazare, Chair** adjourned the meeting at 3:02 p.m.

Dated the 8th day of May 2010
Arizona Substance Abuse Partnership
Respectfully Submitted By:
Jeanne Blackburn
Program Administrator, Division for Substance Abuse